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Dear Parent/Carer

Curriculum Day – 6th November 2025

The first of our 'Curriculum Days' of the year for all students takes place on 6th November. Curriculum Days are days where students will not be following their normal timetabled lessons, but will instead have sessions based around PSHE and Careers topics, appropriate to the Year group your child is in. These days are run to compliment the tutor time and LOOL lessons students experience and prepare them for life in modern Britain.

At the Nicholas Hamond Academy we believe it is crucial to deliver a broad and balanced curriculum that enables our students to develop in many diverse aspects of life and to build confidence and resilience. This will in turn allow them to be prepared for their adult lives and to engage with society.

The timings of the day will be as normal and students are still expected to attend the academy in full uniform. The only exception to this is Year 7. If they could please attend wearing the correct TNHA PE uniform.

Following this letter is a list of topics Year groups will be covering on the day, along with the aim for each session. The students will be divided into groups within their Year and will move around the different sessions throughout the day. In each session there will be suggested avenues of support should the student require it.

There is also a list of sources of support for yourselves as parents, should you wish to access any following the day, with your child.

If there are any concerns or questions before the day, or indeed following it, then please do not hesitate to contact either myself, your child's Head of Year or Student Support Leader. Likewise, if you feel you would like more information about any of the sessions, please do get in contact with myself or your child's Head of Year.

Yours faithfully

K. Warnes

Mrs Kate Warnes
Director of PSHEE